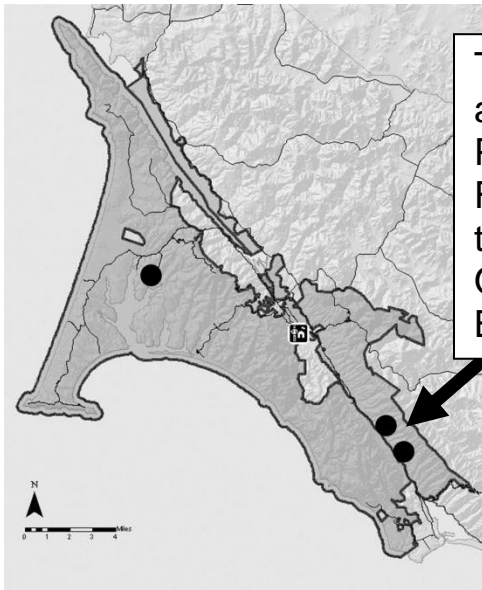


Olema Valley Prescribed Burns along Hwy 1

2014 Fire Management Projects at Point Reyes



The Strain Hill and McCurdy Prescribed Fires are part of the Highway One Fuel Break.



CONTROLLED BURNS - September – October 2014

The **115-acre Strain Hill Prescribed Fire** is planned for the week of September 22, 2014 on one or two days between 10:00 am and 4:00 pm. The **80-acre McCurdy Prescribed Fire** is planned for the week of October 13, again on one or two days between 10:00am and 4:00 pm. These prescribed burns are located approximately 7 miles south of Olema and 4 miles north of Bolinas on the east side of Highway One.

Point Reyes National Seashore is using prescribed fire to create a strategic fuel break along Highway One where the chance of vehicle-ignited wildfire is high. Fire is also being used as a tool within the fuel break to control non-native French broom, an invasive shrub which is displacing native plants.

Short term smoke impacts are expected in the Olema Valley, and may also affect the San Geronimo Valley, Stinson Beach or Bolinas. No road closures are expected, but there may be temporary traffic delays while burning is in progress. Drivers are urged to use extra caution if smoke is present. For more information, contact Point Reyes Public Information Officer John Dell'Osso at 415-464-5135.